Vote Indiana Team Help America Vote Act Fiscal Considerations April 3, 2009

Federal Appropriations

Following the initial distribution of HAVA funds to states, Congress still had an obligation of \$600 million in additional funding for the states. In 2008, an appropriation was made for \$150 million, collectively. Indiana's share was \$2,378,803 these funds remain in the control of the Election Assistance Commission (EAC). A state match of \$125,200 was allocated in 2008 legislation. Before the funds can be distributed, the State Plan must be amended.

In March 2009, Congress appropriated another \$100 million, and Indiana's share is \$2,068,525. A state match of \$108,870 is required by the General Assembly prior to the distribution of these funds.

Original State Plan

Administration/Grievance Procedure: \$550,000 budgeted; less than \$100,000 remains

- Staff Salaries & Benefits
- Office Expenses
- o Grievance Procedure
- Mail/Shipping Expenses
- o Travel

Training, Education, & Outreach: \$3.9 million budgeted; less than \$400,000 (\$85,838 budgeted 2009)

- Outreach Publications (incl. Voter's Bill of Rights, Photo ID Chute Poster, Election Day Handbook, Voter Information Guide, Military/Overseas Voters Guide, Poll worker videos, etc.)
 - 0 2006 \$73,470.00
 - 0 2007 \$55,063.00
 - 0 2008 \$115,955.50
- o Outreach (incl. Training Sessions, Events, Mailings)
 - 0 2006 \$28,701.00
 - 0 2007 \$8,666.00
 - 0 2008 \$21,674.00
- o Advertising (incl. PSA Production, Targeted TV and Radio, Transit, Print)
 - 0 2006 \$1,200,000.00
 - 0 2007 \$92,265.00
 - 0 2008 \$701,445.00
- o Operations (incl. Salaries, Benefits, Interns, Postage)
 - 0 2006 \$0.00
 - 0 2007 \$73,900.00
 - 0 2008 \$76,400.00
- o Training, Education and Outreach (2003-2005)
 - 0 \$1,093,770

Statewide Voter Registration System: \$25,000,000 budgeted/encumbered; \$0 remains

County Equipment

- 0 \$1,295,325
- o Operational (spent & encumbered
 - 0 \$117,712
 - Attorney fees
 - Security testing
 - Office
- Application
 - o \$16,666,713 (spent & encumbered)
 - Hosting
 - Help Desk
 - Training
 - License Fees
 - Connectivity
- Project Management
 - 0 \$6,875,686

Voting Systems: \$40.1 million budgeted/obligated; \$0 remains

- o Replacement of Punch Card and Lever Voting Systems
 - o \$9.5 million distributed
 - o \$0 remains
- Addition of Accessible Voting Systems
 - o \$28.5 million distributed
 - o \$100,000 obligated
- o Reimbursement for systems purchased 1998-2001 (aka. "Super Responsible" Counties)
 - o \$2 million obligated (see page 33 of State Plan)

Fiscal Determinations to Make

- Administration
 - o \$250,000 through 2010 election to maintain levels currently expected in the Plan
- o Training, Education, and Outreach
 - o \$900,000 through 2010 election to maintain levels from previous election cycles
- Statewide Voter File
 - o \$5,143,320 through FY's 2010-2011 to maintain current levels of operation
- Voter List Maintenance
 - \$1,800,000 to perform statewide maintenance as required under federal and state law and USDOJ Consent Decree
- Voting Machines
 - o HEA1071 (2008)